

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE: NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION
OPIATE LITIGATION

CASE NO.: 1:17-MD-2804-DAP

Judge Dan Aaron Polster

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CASES

NOTICE BY DEFENDANTS REGARDING SPECIAL MASTER PAYMENTS

In response to the Court's April 10, 2018 Order regarding the payment of fees to the Special Masters, Defendants report that they have agreed upon a joint bank account and have jointly retained an accounting firm that will administer the account (including periodically collecting the requisite payments from Defendants to fund it). Defendants also have agreed upon the allocation of "shares" to fund the account, recognizing that those shares might be adjusted over time for various reasons, including as new parties are added or the number of cases in which existing defendants are named increase.

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Respectfully submitted,

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The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing was filed electronically on the 30th day of April, 2018. Notice of this filing will be sent to all parties by operation of the Court's electronic filing system, who may access this filing through the Court's system.

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